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### APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
5. ☒ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy)  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. ☐ Power of Attorney
7. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))
  - ☐ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)
  - ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (PTO/SB/96)
8. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, Computer Program (Appendix) or large table
9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all of the following are necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CFR)
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    - i ☐ CD-ROM (2 copies) or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii ☐ paper
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### ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. ☒ Statement of status and support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).
11. ☒ Original U.S. Patent for surrender
  - ☒ Ribboned Original Patent Grant
  - ☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
12. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)  
(if applicable)
13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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15. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
16. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
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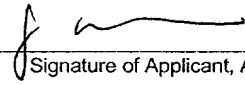
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Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(h))					\$355			\$ ____
Total Filing Fee					\$494		OR	\$
Claims as Amended - Part 2								
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Extra Claims Present	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
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**STATEMENT CONCERNING REISSUE APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Commissioner:

Applicants respectfully submit this statement concerning purpose for reissue application in the above-referenced case.

This Reissue Application is submitted to correct errors in U.S. Patent No. 6,131,205, which include the Patentee claiming more or less than the patentees had a right to claim in the patent. Applicant is unaware of any restriction requirement in this case.

The Specification of the patent is presented in double-column format. The Certificate of Correction is also included.

Applicants submit herewith a check for the basic filing fee for the Reissue Application. If the check is inadvertently omitted or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to

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